Vacancies of Teachers in the Sirkar Primary Schools on 1st Chingam 1112—filling up of—particulars regarding.

367. Mr. A. Narayana Menon (*Vyttila*).—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the number of vacancies of teachers in the Sirkar Primary Schools as it stood on 1st Chingam 1112; were they filled up; if so, in how many cases and when;

(2) how many vacancies have arisen in such schools since 1st Kanni 1112; were they filled up and when;

(3) how many vacancies in the said schools remain to be filled up-to-day; what is the pendency of each vacancy?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*).—(1) 220. The permanent vacancies were filled after the conference of the Inspecting Officers on 1st Chingam 1112 and the temporary ones as soon as each arose.

(2) 46 vacancies have arisen, of which, 20 were filled, one on 1st Kanni 1112, 3 on 2nd Thulam 1112, 2 as soon as they arose and 14 vacancies during the 1st week of Vrischigam. The remaining 26 vacancies were not filled being short leave vacancies.

(3) None.

Regarding Inspectors of Police in the order of seniority at the beginning of the year 1112.

368. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar (*Urakam*).—Will the Government be pleased:—

(1) to give a list of the Inspectors of Police in the order of seniority at the beginning of the year 1112;

(2) to state when Mr. N. R. Subramania Ayyar was appointed Inspector of Police;

(3) to state when Mr. Subramania Ayyar was promoted to the 2nd grade;

(4) whether any 3rd grade Inspector had previously acted in the 2nd grade before Mr. Subramania Ayyar was appointed to the 2nd grade Inspector's post?

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Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police)*—(1) A list is appended. *(Appendix IV).*

(2) On 1st Edavam 1111.

(3) On 19th Kumbham 1112.

(4) Yes.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).* —We find from the Appendix that this N. R. Subramania Ayyar was only officiating as 3rd grade Inspector and that there were 13 permanent Inspectors in the third grade. When this N. R. Subramania Ayyar was appointed as 2nd Grade Inspector—he makes a somersault over these 13 Inspectors. May I know whether there is any special reason why he was preferred to those 13 Inspectors in the 3rd Grade?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—It was by the application of the Graduate rule that he was allowed to go over the other Inspectors.

Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty *(Anthikad).*— May I know how many of the 13 Inspectors were Graduates?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—K. Raman Menon is a Graduate. He is already a second grade Inspector. N. R. Srinivasa Ayyar is a Graduate. He is now officiating as a Prosecuting Inspector. K. K. Sukumaran is a Graduate. But he is on study leave. Then there is N. R. Subramania Ayyar.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri).*—With regard to sub-division 4 may I know who are the Inspectors who had acted in the higher grade before this Subramania Ayyar was appointed?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—Two of the third grade Inspectors. One of them is exempted from the Graduate rule and given second grade. The other for serious misconduct has not been given. I think the Hon'ble Member does not want me to disclose names.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri).*—No, far from it.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur South).*—May I know whether this N. R. Subramania Ayyar who is promoted has got any black mark against him at any time before?

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Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—I can assure the Hon'ble Member that there is nothing disqualifying him from being promoted.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur South).*—My question is whether there is any black mark.

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—I want notice.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—May I know what is the Graduate qualification that the Hon'ble Member said? What is that rule and when was it enforced?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government).*—All appointments on the grade of Rs. 60—80 require the graduate qualification. These rules were issued and began to be enforced along with the constitution of the Staff Selection Board.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—Are the A. S. Ps. newly appointed i. e. Messrs Innocent Pappali and Krishna Menon, Graduates?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—They are not Graduates.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—How were they promoted?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—For one thing, they don't come under the purview of the Staff Selection Board. Secondly, they were exempted.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur South).*—Are there not Graduates who have undergone Vellore training and against whom there are not blackmarks?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—There is one Inspector who has undergone Vellore training but I am not in a position to say on the floor of this House whether he has satisfied all the conditions necessary.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government).*—May I point out to Hon'ble Members, Sir, that it is not in the best interests of these officers themselves that such questions are discussed on the floor of this House.

Mr. President.—Instead of appealing to the Hon'ble Members, Government Members should protect the Members

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of the service and refuse to give any reason why any officer was superseded.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government).*— No answer has been given and I do not intend to give any. I am only making an affirmative statement in the form of a recommendation to Hon'ble Members.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—We are only concerned with the efficiency of the service. When you make your favourites go high up you thereby create discontentment in the whole service. We are concerned only with that and we have no interest whatsoever personal in any particular officer.

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. കൃഷ്ണൻകുട്ടി *(Anthikad).*—സ്റ്റഡിലീവിൽ ഇരിക്കുന്ന ആളുകൾക്കു പ്രമോഷൻ കൊടുക്കുവാൻ പാടില്ലെന്നു നിയമമുണ്ടോ?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government).*— Study leave is leave without allowance.

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. കൃഷ്ണൻകുട്ടി *(Anthikad).*— ലീവിൽ ഇരിക്കുന്നവർക്കും പ്രമോഷൻ കൊടുക്കുവാൻ പാടില്ലെന്നുണ്ടോ?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government).*— They are not ordinarily given.

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. കുട്ടി *(Muslims).*— സ്റ്റഡിലീവിൽ പോകുന്നവരുടെ സർവ്വീസു കണക്കാക്കുക പതിവുണ്ടോ?

മിസ്റ്റർ ടി. എസ്സ്. നാരായണയ്യർ *(Secretary to Government).*— ഉണ്ട്.

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. കുട്ടി *(Muslims).*— പിന്നെ എന്തുകൊണ്ടാണ് അവർക്കു പ്രമോഷൻ കൊടുക്കാറില്ലാത്തത്?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government).*— It is service without allowance.

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. കൃഷ്ണൻകുട്ടി *(Anthikad).*— എൻ. ആർ. സുബ്രഹ്മണ്യയ്യർക്കു ഈ പോസ്റ്റു കൊടുത്തപ്പോൾ വേറെ സീനിയേഴ്സ് ഉണ്ടായിരുന്നുവോ?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police).*—He is not made permanent.

മിസ്റ്റർ വി. കെ. കൃഷ്ണൻകുട്ടി *(Anthikad).*— മിസ്റ്റർ സുകുമാരൻ ലീവു കഴിഞ്ഞുവന്നാൽ ഈ ഗ്രേഡ് അയാൾക്കു കൊടുക്കുവാൻ വിരോധമുണ്ടോ?

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Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police)*.—No answer can be given.

മിസ്റ്റർ പി. കുമാരനെഴുത്തച്ഛൻ *(Wadakkancheri)*.— മിസ്റ്റർ സുബ്രഹ്മണ്യയ്യർക്ക ഈ രണ്ടാം ഗ്രേഡ് സ്ഥിരമാക്കി കൊടുത്തിരിക്കുമോ?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police)*.—No answer can be given at this stage.

മിസ്റ്റർ പി. കുമാരനെഴുത്തച്ഛൻ *(Wadakkancheri)*.— അടുത്ത് ഒരു പോസ്റ്റിൽ ആക്റ്റിംഗ് കിട്ടിയിട്ടുള്ള ഒരാൾക്ക പിന്നീട് അതിനു അവകാശമില്ലെന്ന പറഞ്ഞിട്ടുണ്ട്. ആ രൂപം ഇപ്പോൾ മാറിയൊ എന്നറിഞ്ഞാൽ കൊള്ളാം.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government)*.—He might think it as a claim. The Standing orders only say that the acting incumbent may deem himself to have a claim.

മിസ്റ്റർ പി. കുമാരനെഴുത്തച്ഛൻ *(Wadakkancheri)*.— ഇപ്പോൾ മിസ്റ്റർ സുബ്രഹ്മണ്യയ്യരെ നിശ്ചയിച്ചിട്ടുള്ളതായ ആക്റ്റിംഗ് അറേഞ്ച്മെൻറ സ്ഥിരമായിട്ടുള്ളതല്ലേ എന്നല്ലേ ഞങ്ങൾ വിചാരിക്കേണ്ടതു?

മിസ്റ്റർ ടി. എസ്സ്. നാരായണയ്യർ *(Secretary to Government)*.—ഞാൻ അങ്ങിനെ പറഞ്ഞുപോ?

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri)*.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether this N. R. Subramania Ayyar has been appointed permanently for the post or to act for somebody?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government)*.—I have answered it more than once.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri)*.—Am I to take it that no further answer can be expected to a straight question?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government)*.—A very straight answer has been given and no more straight answer can be given.

മിസ്റ്റർ സി. ആർ. ഇയ്യുണ്ണി *(Trichur South)*.—ഈ ഹൌസിൽ നിന്നു മെമ്പർമാർ ചോദിക്കുന്ന ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്ക ഉത്തരം പറഞ്ഞാൽ അതുകൊണ്ടു ജോലിയിൽ ഇരിക്കുന്ന ആൾക്ക വരുവാനുള്ള ഭവിഷ്യത്തു എന്തായിരിക്കുമെന്നു തോന്നുന്നില്ല. ഈ സമ്പ്രദായം ന്യായമോ അന്യായമോ ആയിരിക്കുമെന്നു മനസ്സിലാകുന്നില്ല.

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മിസ്റ്റർ ടി. എസ്സ്. നാരായണയ്യർ *(Secretary to Government)*.—രണ്ടായിട്ടും വരും. അതാണു പറയാത്തതു്.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam)*.—Is Mr. N. R. Sreenevasa Ayyar a Graduate?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police)*.—He is a Law Graduate.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam)*.—Was he offered this post?

Mr. A. L. Devassy *(Commissioner of Police)*.—It was not thought necessary to give it to him.

Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty *(Anthikad)*.—May I know the period for which he is officiating?

Mr. President.—Till he is confirmed or sent back.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri)*.—We seek to enquire whether this N. R. Subramania Ayyar will stand in the way of other persons above him and who are reported to be on study leave, being appointed. Whether he will be asked to revert when this Sukumaran joins duty that is what we want to know.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar *(Secretary to Government)*.—We are not going to answer a question which has already been answered.

Mr. President.—Hon'ble Members have only to think of the question. I shall illustrate it. It will not be possible for the Government to answer. If a person who is asked to officiate in a post is told that after three months he would have to quit his place he would not have the spirit to discharge his duty efficiently. Obviously it is not possible for the Government to say anything because if he is told that he would be confirmed after three months then also he will not have any incentive to work to establish a claim. These are very simple matters recognised by all Governments and Legislatures.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam)*.—What about the incentive of other persons whose claims have been overlooked?

Mr. President.—Government is the custodian of the services.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Wadakkancheri)*—It must be run on proper lines.

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